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ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY

The Library completed during December its set of the first series of the Vasari society reproductions of drawings by old masters covering the years 1905-1915. These reproductions are taken from drawings in both public and private collections in Europe and Great Britain. The reproductions are in colotype and include some very fine colored facsimiles. Other important books added during the month are Bissing's "Denkmäler Agyptischer Sculptur" and Colvin's "Early engraving and engravers in England."

The following books are among those added during December:

- Anesaki, M.—Buddhist art in its relation to Buddhist ideals. 1915.
 Bissing, W. von.—Denkmäler Agyptischer Sculptur. n. d.
 Cole, Rex Vicat—Artistic anatomy of trees. 1915.
 Colvin, Sidney—Early engraving and engravers in England. 1905.
 Jastrow, Morris, Jr.—Civilization of Babylonia and Assyria. 1915.
 Kunz, George Frederick—Magic of jewels and charms. 1915.
 Middleton, J. Henry—Illuminated manuscripts in classical and medieval times. 1892.
 Rolland, Romain—Michelangelo. 1915.
 Rosenberg, Adolf—Geschichte des Kostüms. Pts. 1-20. n. d.
 Schulz, Walter — Die persisch - islamische Miniaturmalerei. 1914.
 Tapestry of Bayeaux. Folio. Seventeen colored plates. 1819-1823.
 Tuck, Edward, coll.—Some works of art belonging to Edward Tuck of Paris. 1910.
 Tyndale, Walter—An artist in the Riviera. 1915.
 Vasari society—Reproductions of drawings by old masters, 1905-1915.

MUSEUM INSTRUCTION—During the month of December, 1915, 1,191 persons received instruction. Of these 374 were children, who came in groups from different schools in the city.

ATTENDANCE

MUSEUM—The number of visitors at the Museum during December, 1915, was as follows:

		Average
4 Sundays	24,403	6,099
9 other free days	26,007	2,889
18 pay days	11,002	611
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	61,412	

The total attendance for the same period last year was 51,475, showing an increase of 9,937.

LIBRARY—The number of visitors in Ryerson Library during December, 1915, was as follows:

Day attendance—	Dec.
Students	3,245
Visitors	644
Consulting visitors	1,523
Evening attendance	406
Sunday attendance	1,387
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	7,205

SCHOOL—The attendance in the School during December, 1915, was as follows:

	Men	Women	Total
Day school	350	458	808
Evening school	361	126	487
Saturday school	125	326	451
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Total	836	910	1,746
Students belonging to two schools	19	26	45
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Corrected total	817	884	1,701

LECTURES—The attendance at lectures and entertainments in Fullerton Memorial Hall during December, 1915, was as follows:

5 lectures to members and students	1,961
12 Sunday afternoon and evening concerts	4,895
4 Saturday afternoon concerts	228
3 students' entertainments	1,126
12 other lectures and musicals	4,215
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	12,425